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PADUCAH, KY., MONDAY EVENING, APRIL 15, 1901

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QUEER AFFAIR

Al. Winfrey is Wounded in the Back and Says a Policeman Shot Him.

HE RODE A BLIND BAGGAGE

Officer Rogers Who Was on the Depot Beat Says There Were No Shots Fired.

WOUND IS NOT CONSIDERED SERIOUS

Alfred Winfrey, who drives a wagon for the Henderson Hauling company, was shot in the back at 9 o'clock this morning and seriously but not fatally hurt.

The shooting is shrouded in mystery. About 2 o'clock this morning, Officer Rogers and Officer Rogers and Nance were standing at Seventh and Adams street when they were called to a back and found Winfrey inside.

He said he was shot and was taken to the city hall, where the wound, which was in the center of his back, was dressed. The bullet could not be located. Winfrey was taken to the city hospital, where later in the day he was found sitting up smoking a cigarette by a Sun reporter, while City Physician Sanders probed for the bullet.

Winfrey said he lost his way from Mayfield to Paducah on the "blind baggage," and when he got off the train at the depot there saw

Officer Rogers and Officer Rogers and Nance. He thought they would arrest him and made a break for the woods.

One of the three, he says, began shooting. Two shots were fired, one striking him in the back and another taking the flesh off a finger on his left hand.

He went back to the depot in a short time and got into a hack, asking to be driven to town.

Officer Wm. Rogers, one of the policemen, stated to a reporter that

Lieut. Moore and Officer Nance were at the depot when the train came in, and saw a crippled white man and two negroes get off, but didn't see Winfrey. He declared neither of them shot nor heard any shooting and the first they knew of Winfrey's being shot was when they were called over to the back at Seventh and Adams street.

Winfrey told Captain Bailey at the city hall that the man who shot him wore a light mackintosh. He is not thought to be much hurt, and thus far it is not known who shot him.

Officer Guy Nance stated this afternoon that he was on the side of the train next to the station and heard no shooting, and saw no one shoot. He said he did not shoot and wanted the report that he shot Winfrey corrected.

DECEIVED HIM

THIS IS WHAT JESSE ADAMS SAYS AGAINST HIS WIFE.

James E. Adams today, through Attorney Joseph Harris, filed suit in the circuit court against Elveta Adams for divorce.

The allegations are that when they were married she pretended to be his first and only wife. He afterwards discovered that she had been married and divorced, and when confronted with it fled and has not been home since. They are colored.

County Road Overseer Bert Johnson will not make his contemplated tour of the county roads this week, as Judge Tully is too busy to accompany him.

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NEW RULING.

MAIL CARRIERS WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO AVERAGE EIGHT HOURS A DAY.

A ruling of great importance to letter carriers throughout the United States has just been made at Washington by the assistant attorney general for the postoffice department. Under the present law letter carriers are allowed to make 18 hours a week. If they work only seven hours one day they may work nine hours the next day if necessary, to make up the eight hours a day average. This law, however, expires June 30th, and after that the old rules of the 8-hour-law of March 24, 1888, will be re-enacted.

These are in effect that a letter carrier cannot work but eight hours a day, and will be paid for that much work. The rule of averaging eight hours a day will be abolished, and if it requires a carrier only seven hours one day to do his work he will not be permitted to add the other hour on the next day. If his work should require more than eight hours, he will be paid for the extra hours for two days.

THE MAYOR MAD.

HE SAYS THE BOARD OF HEALTH'S PROCEEDINGS SHOULD BE

Private—Is Indignant at the Sensation the Board Has Created Over the Dressed Meat Exposure.

Mayor Lang was not in a pleasant mood when a reporter called on him this morning.

"I'll tell you what I'm going to do," he declared. "I'm going to try to have an ordinance passed compelling the board of health to make its proceedings private, and not allow its minutes to be published in a newspaper."

"Now, the board is a creation of the council, and I think the council can regulate its actions to some extent."

"If the board finds out anything that might be improved by the city's health, it should go about remedying it in a quiet way, without throwing the entire populace into a panic as it has in this meat inspection business."

"The trouble with the board of health is that a new member is something like a new councilman—when he gets into office he is afraid people won't know he's there unless he begins to make a lot of noise."

"Now I am for the health of the city, but I'm not for stirring up such a state of feeling as the board has in this meat business. In addition to the members laying themselves individually liable to suits for damages from the innocent butchers whose trade they have injured, they have laid the city liable to damage suits from the same source by reason of their being city officials."

URNS INVENTOR.

SETS UP A PNEUMATIC COTTON PICKER AND IS GRANTED A PATENT.

Elder W. H. Meyers, pastor of the Christian church at Sturgis, has been spending some of his time between Sturgis and Paducah inventing a pneumatic cotton picker.

He completed it and has just received letters of patent on it. The details of its workings are not explained, but it is said it will revolutionize cotton picking.

THE WEATHER.

Weather forecast for Paducah: Fair tonight and Tuesday.

—Mr. John J. Welch and family are now residing at 907 Clark street.

IT LOOKS THAT WAY.



J. Bull: "Brother Jonathan, I think our Russian friend is troubled with kleptomania."—[Missouri Dispatch]

SUPT. H. U. WALLACE

Popular Former Roadmaster of the Louisville Division Becomes Supt.

SUCCEEDS W. J. HARAHAN

The Amboy Division Abolished, Making Many Changes on the Illinois Central.

INTERESTING NOTES OF THE RAILROAD

Quite a surprise was created in railroad circles yesterday when it became known that Mr. H. U. Wallace, superintendent of the Freeport division of the Illinois Central, would succeed Superintendent W. J. Harahan, of the Louisville division.

Superintendent Harahan is to return to Louisville today from Pass Christian, Miss., and it is supposed the change will take place shortly, if not at once.

The sweeping changes that result in this transfer will affect between four and five thousand employees of the Illinois Central road.

The order abolishes the Amboy division of the road, parcels it out among other divisions and sweeps away the official roster of the division. By this change twenty-five high salaried officials will have their positions taken away, but not all of them will leave the employ of the company. For the majority the company has found new positions, but in the main they will displace other employees along the lines whose efficiency has not been so great. Accordingly the effect will be to relieve the company of the expensive official list of the division and will better the service on other divisions. The order will bear the signature of Second Vice President J. T. Harahan. It will go into effect May 1. It is estimated that over 100 trainmen, engineers and general employees will seek new homes on account of the change.

The northern portion of the division extending from Freeport to Clinton, a distance of 161 miles, is to be added to the Freeport division, which now extends from Chicago to Madison, a distance of sixty-one miles, making the new division 222 miles long. The southern portion of the division, be-

tween Clinton and Centerville, a distance of 114 miles, will be added to the Springfield division, making a new division nearly 410 miles long. The portion of the line between Dubuque and Freeport, sixty-eight miles long, will be added to the Dubuque division, which now extends from Manchester to Cedar Rapids, a distance of forty-one miles. The new division will be about 110 miles long. The line from Waterloo to Fort Dodge will be taken from the Dubuque division and added to the Omaha division.

The officials have decided to make the following changes in positions as a result:

G. A. Clark, superintendent of the Omaha division, will have his headquarters moved from Council Bluffs to Fort Dodge.

E. F. Harriman, superintendent, will have headquarters at Dubuque.

H. U. Wallace, superintendent of the Freeport division, will be transferred to the Louisville division, succeeding W. J. Harahan.

Horace Baker, superintendent of the Amboy division, will have charge of the enlarged Freeport division, with headquarters at Freeport, succeeding Wallace, transferred.

J. C. Bailey, superintendent of the Springfield division, will go to Clinton as superintendent of the new Springfield division.

The Rantoul district of the Springfield division will be transferred and placed under the jurisdiction of Superintendent McCort, of the Chicago division.

Other changes will be decided upon later.

Mr. Wallace is well and favorably known in Paducah, and is a son of Mr. J. T. Wallace, one of the highest officials of the Illinois Central. He was formerly roadmaster of the Louisville division, and afterwards assistant superintendent of the Evansville district.

It is not known where Mr. Harahan will go, but it is reported he will get a high position at Memphis.

Another report is that he is totally disabled, paralyzed below the knees, and will retire from railroad.

Mr. J. W. Jewell, of Princeton, is acting as substitute for Operator J. B. Thomas, of the train dispatcher's office, who is very ill.

The conveniences for the trainmaster's department are here apparently for distribution.

Assistant Superintendent of Machinery, Joseph Buckner, left for St. Louis yesterday, after a short inspection tour of the Southern division.

—Pure drugs carefully compounded. Soule's. 1241

RIPLEY'S CASE

It Was Not Resumed Until This Afternoon Owing to Judge Cantrell's Being Late.

MINERS' STRIKE A FIZZLE

A Rumor That the Beers Captured Gen. French and 500 British Is Discredited.

MRS. "HATCHET" NATION FINED \$500

Frankfort, April 15.—The Grinnell Ripley trial was not resumed until this afternoon owing to the late arrival of Judge Cantrell. Ripley was immediately placed on the stand to testify in his own behalf.

Ripley said that he called on Taylor January 29, about forming a military company. Taylor was excited and said: "My God! haven't you brought your company? Things are in a terrible state, and we are liable to be killed any hour!"

NOT BELIEVED IN LONDON.

London, April 15.—The rumor prevalent today that Gen. French and 500 British were captured by the Boers is discredited by the war office.

CHARGED WITH EMBEZZLEMENT

New York, April 15.—The Farmers' National bank at Vergennes, Vermont, failed to open this morning. Cashier Lewis has been arrested charged with embezzlement.

GOT IT AT LAST.

Kansas City, Mo., April 15.—Mrs. Carrie Nation was practically run out of town today. She was arrested for obstructing the street yesterday and fined \$500 and warned to leave the city immediately. She hurried to Kansas.

THEY WOULDN'T STRIKE.

Madisonville, April 15.—The strike called for today by the mine workers proved a failure. Not one per cent of the men in Hopkins, Webster and Christian counties are playing the call.

HIDDED THE SALOON.

Madisonville, Ky., April 15.—John Martin, saloonist, at the Halfway House, shot and killed Wes Turner, feudist. Last night his saloon was riddled by bullets by unknown men, but no one was hurt.

MT. Sterling, April 15.—Roland Quisenberry, a prominent young man of Clark county, fell from a freight train, was run over and killed today.

THE COURTS.

JUDGE BERRY IS STILL PRESIDING IN CIRCUIT COURT.

Robert Hamilton Fined \$500 and Given One Year in the Penitentiary for Setting Up a Game.

Judge W. A. Berry is still presiding in circuit court. Judge L. D. Hayslands not being well enough to take charge.

The case against the Illinois Central for maintaining a nuisance at Florence station in the form of a raised track was finished and given to the jury.

J. D. O'Brien, for acting as insurance agent without a license, was fined \$100.

Robert Hamilton, colored, for setting up a game of loaded guinea and was fined \$500 and sentenced to one year in the penitentiary.

The grand jury has found several indictments that have not yet been returned into court, among them being indictments against all the lawless houses.

In the case of J. W. Hughes against Susan C. Hughes, L. K. Taylor was appointed guardian ad litem for Jesse, Eppie, Verna, Vernice, Grace, Bessie and William Hughes.

In the suit of F. O. Roberts against the Illinois Central for \$25,000 damages for loss of a hand, the defendant filed a plea of jurisdiction, an answer was filed in the suit of John W. Whitworth against the Illinois Central.

COUNTY COURT.

Thomas White, aged 39 and Mrs. Levanda Elkins, aged 36, of the city, were licensed to marry today. It is the second marriage of each.

J. L. Webb deeded to Sam Hubbard for the consideration of the sum of \$700 property near the river on Monroeville street.

H. G. Ellis deeded to A. T. Bohannon for the sum of \$375, property near the corner of Eleventh and Tennessee streets.

COURT AT SMITHLAND.

TODAY THE REGULAR TERM BEGAN AT SMITHLAND.

Circuit court began at Smithland today. State Senator Wiley, of Lyon county, is billed for a speech. Among the most important commonwealth cases on the docket are Tom Ross, charged with the murder of Walter Hooks; Henry Hannon and Will Blackwell, shooting and wounding Newt Wells; John and Dallas Watson, shooting and wounding Ed Hinton. Several important cases against the Illinois Central railroad are also set for trial.

In addition to the continued common law cases, 34 important new suits have been filed since last court which will come up for action this court.

RELATIVES HEARD FROM.

FOREST ADAMS, OF EMINENCE, TELLS GRAPHS UNDER TAKEN NANCE.

Undertaker Nance yesterday received a telegram from Forest Adams of Eminence, Ky., asking if Owen Adams had been drowned.

Coroner Phelps telegraphed back that Adams was drowned and his body was now at the undertaker's here.

He is the man found in Garrison creek, and as Forest Adams is undoubtedly a relative, the latter is expected today to take charge of the remains.

DEATHS IN GRAVES.

Mr. Robert Gregory, of Wingo, Ky., died Sunday morning of fever. Deceased was one of the oldest and most respectable citizens of the county. Burial today at the Gregory cemetery.

Miss Ella M. Weber, of Pryorburg, daughter of A. A. Weber, died this morning at 2 o'clock from typhoid fever. Interment will take place tomorrow at the Price graveyard.

Mr. M. L. Riley went to Nashville this afternoon to attend the convention of photographers of Kentucky and Tennessee in session there this week.

WIFE'S DOWRY

Mrs. Vina Allard Alleges She Did Not Sign Deeds to Property.

SUES TO RECOVER SHARE

Six Suits Filed Today By Oliver Allard's Widow to Secure Her Dowry.

PROPERTY WORTH \$25,000 INVOLVED

Suits involving Paducah real estate to the amount of \$25,000 or more were filed in circuit court here today by Bishop and Puryear for Mrs. Vina Allard, widow of the late Oliver Allard, who died at his home near Brooklyn, Ill., a few weeks ago.

Several years ago Mrs. Josephine Spaulding brought suit in circuit court here for her two children by her first husband, a son of the late J. L. Allard, to break the will of the latter.

The sole beneficiary under the will was his son, Oliver, and in the position it was alleged that undue influence was used to induce J. L. Allard to leave his estate to his son Oliver.

After a hot legal fight the will was broken, the jury returning a verdict in favor of Mrs. Josephine Spaulding and her children.

Oliver Allard, the defendant, asked an appeal, but subsequently became alarmed and accepted a compromise, by the terms of which the property on this side of the river was to be divided.

After the details of the agreement were carried out, he had left but

about \$600 of property worth \$25,000 or more on this side of the river.

The plaintiffs, it is claimed, agreed before the compromise suit to sue for any share of the property owned in Illinois by the defendant, but they afterwards did so and lost the case only a few days before Oliver Allard's death.

Mrs. Vina Allard, of Brooklyn, the widow, now brings suit against those who own the property devised by virtue of the compromise, for her dowry.

The defendants are R. T. Lightfoot, T. R. Moss, A. C. How, G. W. Robertson, and Tom and Edna Allard, all of whom now own property devised to them after the compromise.

Mrs. Allard claims that she did not sign any of the deeds, and is consequently entitled to her one-third.

The total value of the property involved is approximately \$25,000, and a big legal fight is anticipated.

TEAMSTERS STRUCK.

THEY WANT A DOLLAR A DAY FOR HAULING GRAVEL.

The eighteen or twenty teamsters who have been hauling gravel from Ghoshon's pit in the county, to the South Fourth street improvement, today struck for a dollar a day.

They have been getting 70 cents a day from Contractor Gardner. No agreement had been reached at last accounts.

HER FATHER BETTER.

Dr. Della Caldwell today received a message stating that her father, who has been ill at Murphysboro, is better.

Dr. Caldwell's aunt, Mrs. Spaight, died Saturday at Hopkinsville, which gave rise to the report that her father was dead.

DIED OF BRAIN FEVER.

Ernest Grief, the infant of Geo. W. Grief, died this afternoon of brain fever. The funeral will be tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock, burial at Oak Grove.

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We will not force a sale. See that you get perfectly fitted.

Our time and experience will be devoted to catering to your requirements.

We will fit your feet better if you will grant us your confidence.

Get your boy a pair of our New Patent Leather Oxfords for \$1.50.

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\$2.19.

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100 of this extra large Willow Rockers to be sold at \$2.19 cash. Get this bargain before it is too late. You will find everything in our immense stock as great bargains in proportion to the above. Call and

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4th & Broadway.

LOCAL LINES.

—FOR Dr. Pendley telephone 416.
The Democratic city committee has assessed the various candidates for city nomination as follows: Mayor, \$20; police judge, \$15; prosecuting attorney, \$15; city marshal, \$15; councilmen, \$2.50; school trustees, \$1.
—Sweetheart Manette, "Milly," by Maurice Thompson; "Ralph Marlowe," "Inlander," by Harrison Robertson, and "Visita of Elizabeth," for sale at B. D. Clements & Co's.

The entertainment at the First Christian church tonight for the benefit of the Home of the Friendless will be a treat. Don't miss it.
—The marriage of Miss Annie Seitz to Mr. Conrad Smith takes place tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock at the German Evangelical church.

—Pure drugs n guarantee at Soule's. 131st
—Don't fail to attend the entertainment tonight at the First Christian church for the benefit of the Home of the Friendless.

—Miss Barbee, who is on the program of the entertainment to be given at the First Christian church tonight comes very highly recommended.

—The old reliable, Friedman's Steam Cleaning works. Office with Friedman, the tailor, 331 Broadway d-23

—The Ogilvie building at Fourth and Broadway will be made four stories high instead of three. This will make it cost about \$1,500 more.

—Send your soiled clothes to Friedman's Steam Cleaning works, office 331 Broadway. d-23

—The council will meet this evening in regular session, with the usual amount of routine business on hand.
—All kinds of carpenter and furniture work, Louis Green, 114 North Fourth. 2am

—The board of health will hold another called meeting in a few days, to discuss important matters.

—Now is the time to have your last spring clothes cleaned, pressed and repaired. Send them to Friedman's Steam Cleaning works, 331 Broadway. d-23

FEDERAL COURT.
Judge Walter Evans, who has just finished holding court at Louisville, leaves today for Old Point Comfort to spend a few days' vacation.
all county court
Twenty-two acres of land in the county were sold by Mary Freeman to C. W. Gibson for \$330.
J. H. Alford decided to W. W. Iyer and located in the county for \$330.
Property on Tennessee street, between Tenth and Eleventh streets was transferred by W. C. Ellis to A. T. Bohannon for \$400.
Special Commissioner Hiram Smedley appointed to divide the Keokuk Road estate, has filed deeds transferring to J. L. Ridd, W. H. Jones and Mary B. and Ansel L. Jones their portions of the property.

Entire change in program at the Langley show this week. Admission, same, 10c.

MARKET REPORT

Today's Quotations.
(Market quotations furnished by Van Noye & Arns, of the Paducah commission company, 113 South Third street, received over their special wire to the Chicago board of trade and New York cotton and stock exchanges. Telephone 461.)

GRAIN.
WHEAT—Open High Low Close
April 70 1/2 70 3/4 70 1/2
May 70 1/2 70 3/4 70 1/2
July 70 1/2 70 3/4 70 1/2
CORN—
May 43 1/2 43 3/4 43 1/2
July 43 1/2 43 3/4 43 1/2
OATS—
May 25 25 1/2 25
July 24 24 1/2 24

PROVISIONS.
PORK—
July 14 1/2 14 1/2 14 1/2
May 11 1/2 11 1/2 11 1/2
LARD—
July 8 1/2 8 1/2 8 1/2
May 8 1/2 8 1/2 8 1/2
RIBS—
July 8 1/2 8 1/2 8 1/2
May 8 1/2 8 1/2 8 1/2

COTTON.
May 7 1/2 7 1/2 7 1/2
July 7 1/2 7 1/2 7 1/2
Sept. 7 1/2 7 1/2 7 1/2
Nov. 7 1/2 7 1/2 7 1/2
Dec. 7 1/2 7 1/2 7 1/2
Jan. 7 1/2 7 1/2 7 1/2

N. Y. STOCKS.
Sugar 147 1/2
R. R. T. 84
A. M. T. 130
U. S. S. 48
U. S. S. Pr 93 1/2
L. & N. 105 1/2
C. O. 1 56

ABOUT PEOPLE.

Mrs. W. H. Tally, of Nashville, arrived yesterday to be with her husband, who is ill in the county.

Messrs. O. M. Morrill and W. K. Wells and Messrs. Mattie Reeves and Christo Bartlett, of Mayfield, spent yesterday in the city, the guests of friends.

Messrs. Foster French, W. M. Davis, W. B. Campbell and John W. Moody, of Union City, Tenn., were in the city yesterday.

Mr. H. A. Bell, of Springfield, Ill., is at the Palmer.

Mr. J. L. Kilgore and his guest Major Mustard, have returned from Nashville.

Attorneys R. T. Lightfoot and T. E. Moss went to Metropolis this morning to attend court.

Col. Q. Q. Quigley left for Smithland on the Fowler this morning to attend court.

Mr. Charlie Curtis went out on a drumming trip this morning.

Mr. Si Bryant left for Illinois today on a trip for Green & Sons.

Mr. Lawrence Raser, of St. Louis, was in the city yesterday.

Editor Mott Ayers, of the Fulton Leader, and family spent yesterday with Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Boswell.

Mr. Nelson Tally arrived in the city yesterday to attend the bedside of this father, who is very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Baker returned from Benton last night.

Mr. John Simont went to Bowling Green this morning on business.

Mr. Joe Friedman returned from Dawson last night. He reports the health of his wife much improved.

Mr. Al Smith, the well known representative of John P. Morton & Co., of Louisville, left the city this morning for headquarters.

Dr. S. B. Caldwell left for Nortonville this morning on business. He will return Tuesday night.

Mrs. A. E. Hill, of Henderson, who has been assisting Rev. J. H. Davis in conducting a meeting at the Methodist church, for the past three weeks, returned home this morning.

Mr. L. A. Washington, the head of the engineer corps of the Illinois Central railroad, went to Louisville today.

Mr. Bradley Wilson returned from Madisonville last night.

Mrs. Will Wright will return from Poplar Bluff, Mo., tonight. Her sister, Mrs. C. H. Weber, is greatly improved.

The society boys of Mayfield will give a big dance in that place tonight. It is to be quite an important affair and a new from Paducah may attend.

Chas. K. Wheeler left for Princeton today at noon.

Mr. Sam T. Hubbard and wife returned from Water Valley today at noon.

Mr. Ed Hook, agent for the American Express company at Hopkinsville, was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Mae Thompson, of Sturgis, Ky., returned home today after a pleasant visit to Miss L. H. Arnold.

Mrs. Armour Gardner and sister, Miss Martha Leech, left for Dawson today at noon.

Mr. Will Crow went out on a drumming trip today at noon.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.
Registered at the Palmer: Phil K. Arrington, Louisville; J. S. Knox, Grand Rapids; H. L. Harpin, Chicago; J. P. Chorchman, Philadelphia; S. C. Transman, Chicago.

Registered at the St. Nicholas: E. B. Atkins, Paris, Tenn.; S. R. Stobbs, Paris, Tenn.; G. M. [illegible] Smithland; Jas. H. Brown, Belknap, Ill.

Registered at the New Richmond: J. H. Bartee, Linton, Ky.; W. H. Hopson, Canton, Ky.; W. G. Niekirk, Smithland; Will Zanon, Smithland; Henry Morris, Smithland; Tom P. Moore, Nashville.

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10 oz. bottle perfume in tin, 15c.
Woodland Violet Toilet powder 10c.
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SUDDENLY INSANE

MR. G. U. LEISNER TEMPORARILY LOSES HIS MIND

Through Weirring—He Was Kept at the City Hall All the Forenoon and Then Taken Home.

Mr. G. U. Leisner, the well known grocer of Sixth and Trimble streets, became suddenly insane at an early hour this morning.

The attack came very unexpectedly. Last Saturday Mr. Leisner was tried in the circuit court for selling whisky on Sunday, and it caused him considerable worry. He expected to last the case, when it came to trial, but his attorney was out of the city, and he was forced into trial, and fined \$20 and costs, the total amounting to \$65. He paid it, but it continued to prey on his mind.

He went to church, last night and was apparently all right, but could not sleep after he reached home and retired. He got up early this morning and said he was going to the city hall and pay a \$10 fine assessed against him there when all the saloon keepers were recently fined, and get it off his mind. By this time his actions were so peculiar an officer was sent for to take charge of him.

He was taken to Marshal Collins' office and remained there under guard all the forenoon. He had not been drinking, and there seems to be no doubt but that he was unbalanced.

About noon he was taken to the court house by Deputy Sheriff (his Rogers, but it was decided not to try him for insanity unless he became worse. He was then taken home, and seemed to be improving.

Mr. Leisner is one of the best known men in Paducah and it is hoped his derangement is only temporary.

PROMOTING NEW ROADS.

At Mobile it is rumored that the Illinois Central is behind the Mobile and Jackson extension movement. A prominent railroad official is quoted as follows in that regard: "There is no doubt in my mind but that the rumor is correct. There are many reasons for it. One is that the Illinois Central has become a prime factor in diverting the volume of business via the Gulf that heretofore found an outlet via the Atlantic ports. This volume of business diverted has grown to such magnitude that to handle it properly immense terminal facilities are needed far in excess of those possessed by the road in New Orleans and far in excess of any future facilities that are likely to be granted them on anything like reasonable terms by the municipal authorities of New Orleans. The control of the Mobile, Jackson and Kansas City gives them at Mobile terminals not possessed by any other railroad in the south."

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TOUR OF INSPECTION.

Mr. Stuyvesant Fish, president of the Illinois Central railroad and the board of directors of the road, will be in Paducah this week or the first of next week on a general inspection tour. The following constitutes the board of directors: His Excellency John R. Tanner, governor of Illinois; Ex. Officer, B. F. Aver, John W. Anchutson, John Jacob Astor, Charles M. Beach, W. Morton Grinnell, J. W. Doane, Stuyvesant Fish, Edward H. Harriman, Walter Lutzgen, Charles A. Peabody, Jr., John G. Welling, J. D. W. Cutting.

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